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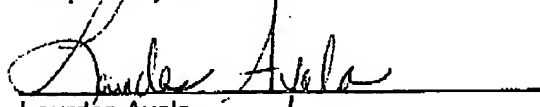
Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment Fee Transmittal
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was sent to the United States Patent and Trademark Office by telefax to the attention of Examiner Rao, fax number (571) 273-0939.

Respectfully submitted,



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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application
No additional claims or extension fees are required.

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks and arguments begin on page 7 of this document.